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For: AN INFORMATIONAL PORTAL IN A CONTRACT MANUFACTURING FRAMEWORK (as amended)	

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PETITION FOR 3-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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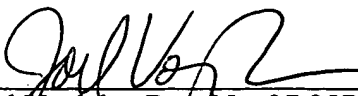
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to file a response to the office action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116(a) mailed November 26, 2002, said period of response being extended from February 26, 2003 to May 26, 2003 (with May 26, 2003 being a national holiday). A Request for Continued Examination and an Amendment are submitted concurrently herewith.

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